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Eight connecting lakes are at the center of Chain O'Lakes SP. Paddle through the chain, hike the trails or attend an interpretive program in the old schoolhouse nature center. Visit the nearby Gene Stratton-Porter Home, a State Historic Site in Rome City.

Chain O'Lakes SP 2355 E 75 S Albion, IN 46701 (260) 636-2654





















Three miles of shoreline along Lake Michigan provide spectacular sights and sounds at Indiana Dunes SP. Impressive sand dunes and a calming lakeshore are a sharp contrast to everyday worries. Swim in the lake, picnic in one of the shelter houses or camp in the newly refurbished campground for a serene, yet fun-filled, get-away.

Indiana Dunes SP 1600 N 25 E Chesterton, IN 46304 (219) 926-1952





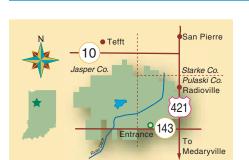
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Experience the rare opportunity to observe sandhill cranes passing through Jasper-Pulaski FWA during their fall migration. Observation decks provide great viewing points of thousands of these birds. Hunting, fishing and target ranges are also available on the property. Restrictions and/or permits may be required for some activities.

Jasper-Pulaski FWA 5822 N Fish and Wildlife Lane Medarvville, IN 47957 (219) 843-4841

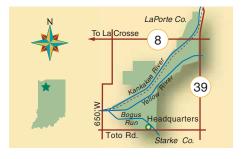












Located along 11 miles of the Kankakee and Yellow Rivers, Kankakee FWA provides 4,095 acres of woodlands, wetlands and prairies. A remnant of the Grand Kankakee Marsh is located on the property, attracting thousands of ducks and geese every year. Hunting, fishing and boating are also available. Restrictions and/or permits may be required for some activities.

Kankakee FWA 4320 W Toto Rd., PO Box 77 North Judson, IN 46366 (574) 896-3522

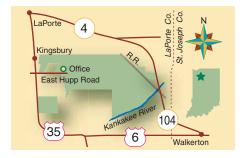












Experience a variety of outdoor activities at Kingsbury FWA including hunting, fishing and target practice at the shooting ranges. The shooting range has 37 different shooting positions, is staffed by qualified range officers and provides indoor restrooms accessible to persons with disabilities. Restrictions and/or permits may be required for some activities.

Kingsbury FWA 5344 S Hupp Rd. LaPorte, IN 46350

(219) 393-3612 • Range: (219) 393-1128













LaSalle FWA 4752 W 1050 N Lake Village, IN 46349 (219) 992-3019





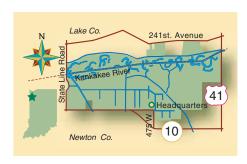








Bisected by the Kankakee River, LaSalle FWA is an ideal stopover for migratory birds. Excellent waterfowl viewing is available in March. Anglers will enjoy fishing along the Kankakee River. Hunters may participate in various hunting activities. Restrictions and/or permits may be required for some activities.



Mississinewa Lake 4673 S 625 E Peru, IN 46970 (765) 473-6528 • (765) 395-7038





























Just a short drive north of Indianapolis nestled in the farmlands of north central Indiana, Mississinewa Lake and the surrounding area is rich in Native American history. Visitors may choose to stay in Mississinewa's latest addition of rent-a-camp cabins. Pleasure boating. water skiing, fishing and hiking are only a few of the activities found at Mississinewa.



Ouabache SP 4930 E SR 201 Bluffton, IN 46714 (260) 824-0926























Located along the Wabash River in Wells County, Ouabache SP (pronounced Wabash) features a 3-mile asphalt bike trail, seasonal interpretive services and an American bison exhibit. Boating and fishing are also very popular on the 25acre Kunkel Lake.



Pigeon River FWA 8310 E 300 N Box 71 Mongo, IN 46771 (260) 367-2164



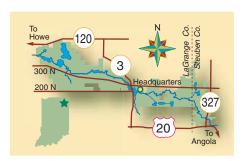








Established in 1956, Pigeon River FWA lies along the flood plain of the Pigeon River. The area maintains 11,605 acres of land, 529 acres of lakes and 17 miles of the Pigeon River. Excellent waterfowl watching is available during the spring and fall migration. Wetland trapping is available through drawing only. Restrictions and/or permits are required for hunting activities.



Pisgah Marsh FWA **Durham Lake WCA**

Managed by: Tri-County FWA Located on CR 350 N and 850 N, Pierceton, IN 46562, 9 mi. N of Larwill, W of SR 5 9 mi. N of Pierceton, E of SR 13 on 350 N (574) 834-4461



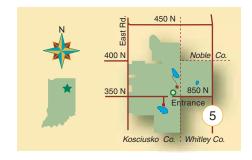




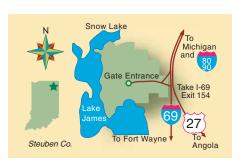




The 445 combined acres of Pisgah Marsh Areas 1, 2 and 3 is comprised of grassland, wetland, upland forest and lake habitats. Area 1 provides access to the marsh while protecting sensitive habitats with a boardwalk and viewing deck. The Durham Lake area is approximately 180 acres with a 13-acre lake south of 350 N. It is open for hunting and fishing. Some restrictions and/or permits are required.



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On the shores of Lake James and Snow Lake, amid the rolling hills of Indiana's lake country, Pokagon SP offers unexcelled opportunities for outdoor recreation during all seasons of the year. Boat, swim and ride on horseback during the summer months. Toboggan down a seasonal run in the winter months.

For Potawatomi Inn details, see pages 36-37, 67.

Pokagon SP 450 Lane 100 Lake James **Angola, IN 46703** (260) 833-2012







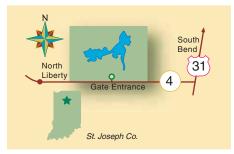












Located about 12 miles southwest of South Bend, Indiana, Potato Creek SP features a variety of natural habitats including the 327-acre Worster Lake, old fields, mature woodlands, restored prairies and diverse wetlands. The park features a wide array of activities, such as boating and picnicking, for year-round enjoyment.

Potato Creek SP 25601 SR 4, PO Box 908 North Liberty, IN 46554 (574) 656-8186































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J. Edward Roush Lake 517 N Warren Rd. **Huntington, IN 46750** (260) 468-2165

















Roush Lake is maintained by the DNR for recreation and resource management. Water levels of the flood control reservoir are maintained by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers. Unique to the property is the state-of-the-art shooting range completed in 2005. Many other activities for visitors to enjoy include boating, fishing, swimming, camping, hiking, mountain biking and picnicking.



Salamonie Lake 9214 W Lost Bridge W Andrews, IN 46702-9731 (260) 468-2125



















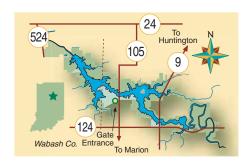








For the first-timer or repeat visitor, Salamonie Lake offers recreational activities for every season. View wildlife, camp, swim, hunt, fish or hike. Salamonie's marina offers rental and mooring. Enjoy world-class bird watching, boating, snowmobiling and visit the modern interpretive center and gift shop located in the Lost Bridge West SRA.



Salamonie River SF 9214 W Lost Bridge W Andrews, IN 46702-9731 (260) 468-2125



















Salamonie River SF is 850 acres of reforested land downstream from Salamonie Lake. Winding trails through ravines and high banks offer excellent views of seasonal waterfalls, rare plants and fall beauty. Visitors enjoy horseback riding, fishing, picnicking near the historic CCC shelter, hiking and hunting managed by Salamonie Lake. The forest is one of the State's top ten spots for bird watching.



Tippecanoe River SP 4200 N US 35 Winamac, IN 46996 (574) 946-3213













Seven miles of the Tippecanoe River border the eastern edge of Tippecanoe River SP. Activities, such as camping, canoeing and hiking, are popular at this northwest Indiana property. Fishing, seasonal interpretive naturalist services and bridle trails are also available.



Tri-County FWA 8432 N 850 E Syracuse, IN 46567 (574) 834-4461











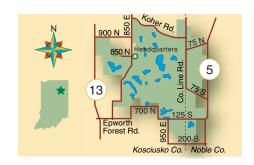




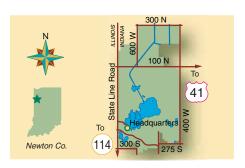




The upland fields, oak-hickory woodlands and wetland areas of Tri-County FWA attract non-game birds, migratory waterfowl, upland game, deer, furbearers and shorebirds. Hunting for woodland and upland game, waterfowl and trapping furbearers are popular. Fishing is also popular in the property's ten natural lakes. Restrictions and/or permits may be required for some activities.



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Willow Slough FWA maintains 9,956 acres, which includes 1,200 acres of open water and marshes. Hunting for deer, small game, waterfowl and turkey are popular at Willow Slough. Target ranges, fishing and wildlife watching are also available. Restrictions and/or permits may be required for some activities.

Willow Slough FWA 2042 S 500 W Morocco, IN 47963 (219) 285-2704



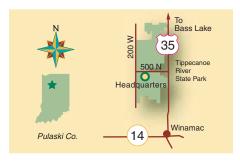












Winamac FWA, located in Pulaski County, totals 4,770 acres of second growth oak forests, crop and fallow fields, small pine plantations, brushy edges and small shallow wetlands. Two ponds feature bass, bluegill and catfish fishing. The various habitats provide hunting for a number of species attracted to the area. Restrictions and/or permits may be required for some activities.

Winamac FWA 1493 W 500 N Winamac, IN 46996 (574) 946-4422













Northern Historic Sites

Gene Stratton-Porter SHS 1205 Pleasant Point Rome City, IN 46784 260-854-3790

Hoosier author, naturalist and photographer Gene Stratton-Porter's second Indiana home. Explore the restored gardens, hiking trails, new visitor center and two-story cabin. Grissom Air Museum SHS 1000 Hoosier Blvd. Peru, IN 46970 765-689-8011

Imagination takes flight here. More than 20 historic aircraft, an observation tower and indoor displays. Operated by the Heritage Museum Foundation.

Limberlost SHS 200 E 6th St. Geneva, IN 46740 260-368-7428



Named for nearby Limberlost Swamp, this State Historic Site was once home, playground, laboratory and inspiration to Hoosier author Gene Stratton-Porter.

www.indianamuseum.org

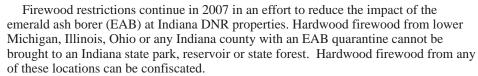




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Constructed by the US Army Corps of Engineers in 1975, Brookville Lake has 16,000 acres, 5,000 of which is water for great fishing, boating and swimming fun. Camping and swimming are offered at Mounds and Quakertown SRAs within the property. Picnicking, hiking trails and a shooting range are available.

Brookville Lake 14108 SR 101, PO Box 100 Brookville, IN 47012 (765) 647-2657 • (765) 647-2658













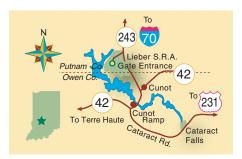












Cagles Mill Lake was the first Army Corps of Engineers flood control project in the Louisville District, which includes Indiana. The lake, which was opened in 1953, offers extensive water-based fun, nature activities, camping, hiking, picnicking and a family aquatic center. Seasonal hunting and fishing, mooring, boat rentals and concessions are also available.

Cagles Mill Lake, Lieber SRA 1317 W Lieber Rd. Suite 1 Cloverdale, IN 46120 (765) 795-4576

























Opened in 1960, Cecil M. Harden Lake is a naturalist's delight. Numerous species of trees, berries, nuts and mushrooms grace the property. The lake offers a wide variety of activities such as camping, boating and swimming. In October, visitors will enjoy the Parke County Covered Bridge Festival, located just minutes from the property.

Cecil M. Harden Lake Raccoon SRA

1588 S Raccoon Parkway Rockville, IN 47872 • (765) 344-1884







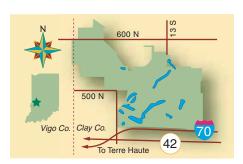






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The rolling grassland and strip pits of Chinook FWA provide excellent opportunities to observe deer, turkey, waterfowl, shorebirds and raptors. Approximately 80 acres of the property is water (mostly strip pits) providing quality hunting and fishing for the outdoor enthusiast. Restrictions and/or permits may be required for some activities.

Chinook FWA

Managed by Minnehaha FWA From Brazil exit off I-70, to 42 W follow Cory Staunton Rd. into property (812) 268-5640













Landscape and history blend a unique setting at Fort Harrison SP. Located in northeast Indianapolis, the 1,700-acre park features walking and multi-use trails, two national historic districts, picnic sites and fishing access to Fall Creek and three small lakes.

The Garrison, Harrison House, Officers' Homes and The Fort Golf Course are described on pages 36-37, 67.

Fort Harrison SP

5753 Glenn Rd. (located at E 59th St. & N Post Rd.) Indianapolis, IN 46216 (317) 591-0904























Mansfield Roller Mill c/o Raccoon SRA 1588 S Raccoon Parkway Rockville, IN 47872 (765) 344-0741







Constructed in 1875, the historic Mansfield Roller Mill is completely powered by turbines. Managed by staff at C. M. Harden Lake, the mill is on the National Register of Historic Places. The mill is three and half stories and houses original 1880's milling equipment on the banks of Big Raccoon Creek, Tours, corn grinding demonstrations and a gift shop are available.



McCormick's Creek SP 250 McCormick's Creek Park Rd. Spencer, IN 47460 (812) 829-2235































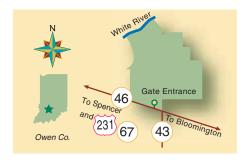
cliffs provide magnificent hiking for visitors. Camping, swimming and hiking complement the natural environment of the park. Canyon Inn is described on pages 36-

trails and a canyon surrounded by high

Limestone formations and scenic waterfalls highlight Indiana's first state

park, McCormick's Creek. Wooded

37, 67.



Mounds State Park 4306 Mounds Rd. Anderson, IN 46017 (765) 642-6627





















Learn about ancient history while enjoying Indiana landscape at Mounds SP. Witness unique earthworks, built by prehistoric Native Americans in approximately 250 B.C. Enjoy camping, swimming, hiking, or fishing in the White River. Stopby the visitor center with a bird viewing room, animal displays, and discover the pre-1900's Bronnenberg homestead.



Owen-Putnam SF 2153 Fish Creek Rd Spencer, IN 47460 (812) 829-2462





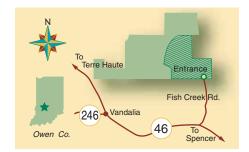








Hike through some of the best hardwood forests in the country at Owen-Putnam SF. Enjoy deer and turkey hunting, fish in one of the many ponds or see a 50-foot sandstone bluff on horseback in some of the beautiful hills of south central Indiana.



Prophetstown SP 4112 E SR 225 West Lafavette, IN 47906 (765) 567-4919



















Located where the Tippecanoe River meets the Wabash near Battle Ground, Indiana, Prophetstown SP is Indiana's newest state park. The park features camping, hiking and bicycle trails for visitors. Seasonal interpretive services are also available. Nearby Historic Prophetstown offers year-round programming.





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Enjoy camping, hiking, birding and biking at Prophetstown State Park. This new 1,700 acre park showcases a vast array of native grasses and wildflowers. Restoration of the prairie and fen have created a spectacular natural palate of color. The wetlands attract seasonal birds and waterfowl. Separate but located within the state park you will find Historic Prophetstown, a 300 acre complex including a recreated American Indian village and a working version of a 1920s-era Indiana farm.

Hiking and Biking Trails criss-cross the Lafayette - West Lafayette cities and countryside! From the Wabash Heritage Trail to West Lafayette's newest paved trails, you are sure to find the best rides/walks for all ages and abilities. Bicycling and trail maps are available. Celery Bog Nature Area is listed as one of the State's significant ecological sites. It is also home to the Lilly Nature Center.

Spring, summer and fall are wonderful times to enjoy nature as you float your canoe along the Wabash River, the Wildcat Creek, or the Tippecanoe River. Canoe rentals available on the Tippecanoe River through Hodges Canoe Rentals.

Wolf Park is a unique facility whose hand-raised, socialized wolves allow visitors opportunities to view wolf behavior up close. Hear them howl, and join in their chorus on Wolf Howl Nights. Guided tours, programs and children's activities are also available.

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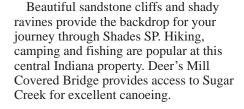


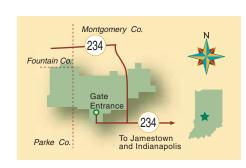












Summit Lake SP 5993 N Messick Rd. New Castle, IN 47362-9309 (765) 766-5873





















With a large lake on more than 2,600 acres, Summit Lake SP provides tremendous outdoor recreation. Facilities with electric campsites, boat launch ramps, a beach bathhouse and two large open shelters are great for picnics and family events. Fishing, bird watching and hiking trails provide a all-around enjoyable experience.



Turkey Run SP PO Box 37, 8121 E Park Rd. Marshall, IN 47859 (765) 597-2635























Deep canyons, sandstone cliffs and peaceful hemlock groves harbor some of the most ruggedly beautiful hiking trails at Turkey Run SP. Deer tracks, beaver-chewed trees and flocks of turkey vultures are common sights enjoyed by visitors. A nature center with a planetarium is open all year.

Turkey Run Inn is described on pages 36-37, 67.



Wilbur Wright FWA 2239 N SR 103 New Castle, IN 47362 (765) 529-9581







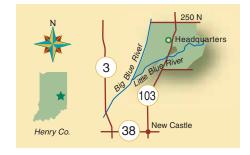








Wilbur Wright FWA is 1,070 acres of river valleys and associated uplands with the Big Blue River on the western boundary. Mature woods, fallow cropland, prairie grasses and forbs provide excellent habitat for hunting and fishing. Restrictions and/or permits may be required for some activities.



Whitewater Memorial SP 1418 S SR 101 Liberty, IN 47353 (765) 458-5565













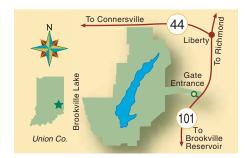








Whitewater Memorial SP is located on the north end of Brookville Lake. With a separate 200-acre lake, the property provides plenty of boating activities including canoe and paddleboat rentals. Camping, swimming, horseback riding and a boat launch ramp to Brookville Lake are also available.



Central Historic Sites

Indiana State Museum 650 W Washington St. Indianapolis, IN 46204 317-232-1637

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Ernie Pyle SHS 120 W. Briarwood Dana, IN 47847 765-665-3633

Hoosier journalist Ernie Pyle became America's beloved World War II reporter. Tour the 1851 house from the farm where he was born and state-of-the-art visitor. center

Levi Coffin SHS 113 US 27 N Fountain City, IN 47341 765-847-2432

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Whitewater Canal SHS 19083 N Clayborn St. Metamora, IN 47030 765-647-6512

Whitewater Canal offers visitors a boat ride into the canal transportation era. Ride on the canal, visit the grist mill, take a carriage ride or do some shopping while you're here.



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